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TEST MATERIAL:

Beauveria bassiana Strain 447

PROJECT NO:

None assigned

SPONSOR:

SafeScience Products, Inc., Boston, MA.

**TESTING FACILITY:** 

Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS

TITLE OF REPORT:

Beauvericin Analysis of Beauveria bassiana 447 Spores

(Batch 83199)

AUTHOR(S):

J. Scott Smith, Ph.D.

STUDY COMPLETED:

April 28, 2000

GOOD LABORATORY

Not GLP Compliant

PRACTICE:

CONCLUSION:

No beauvericin mycotoxin was detected (LOD 0.2 ppm)

in Beauveria bassiana 447 Spores (Batch 83199).

CLASSIFICATION:

UNACCEPTABLE, 5 batches analysis of either the

spores or the final product should be provided to confirm

these suppositions.

## DISCUSSION OF THE FORMATION OF UNINTENTIONAL INGREDIENTS

### I. STUDY DESIGN

Test Material: Beauveria bassiana 447 Spores (Batch 83199)

## II. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

A publication by J. Scott Smith titled "Liquid chromatography/thermospray/mass spectrometry analysis of beauvericin" in J. Agric. Food Chem., 45, 1234-1239, 1997 was used to satisfy OPPTS 885.1300 for discussion of formation of unintended ingredients. *Beauveria bassiana*. Strain 447 spores (Batch 83199) produced by Sylvan Bioproducts, Inc. were analyzed by Dr. Smith's laboratory using LC/mass spectrometry method and HPLC/diode array detection (in-house modification of the above published method). No beauvericin was detected with the lower detection limit as 0.2 ppm at a signal to noise ratio of 5:1. The packet classification is UNACCEPTABLE.